



PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of:

TACHIKAWA et al.

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Art Unit: Not yet Assigned

For: CHARGED-PARTICLE BEAM IRRADIATOR AND THERAPY SYSTEM

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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\boxtimes	\$980.00 as payment for the filing fee;	
\boxtimes	Originally-executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;	
	Originally-executed Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status;	
	Verified Translation of the Application [with a Preliminary Amendment]; and	
	Other.	
Applicants(s) are also enclosing the following:		

An Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449, one ref.

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	A Submission of Priority Application No filed along with	
certi	fied priority document(s);	
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$270.
 - \$270 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.

 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1110.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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